

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	LAUTT	Examiner:	S. GEMBEH
Serial No.:	10/502,066	Group Art Unit:	1614
Filed:	OCTOBER 27, 2004	Docket No.:	14233.18USWO
Conf. No.:	8639	Customer No.:	23552
Title:	USE OF CHOLINESTERASE ANTAGONISTS TO TREAT INSULIN RESISTANCE		

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

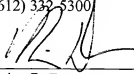
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 17, 2006, said period of response being extended from February 17, 2006 to March 17, 2006.

Our Deposit Account No. 13-2725 is being charged in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: March 16, 2007

  
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